

Air Base Threatened

Town Topics

E. D. Head, President of Southwestern Baptist in Fort Worth, will be speaker for both morning and evening services at the First Baptist Church Sunday. Dr. Head is a well known writer and speaker and held the Chair of Theology at Baylor University for several years. Every one is invited to enjoy the privilege of hearing Dr. Head.

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The Medina County Chapter of the American Red Cross will meet on Sept. 26th at 7:30 p.m. at Wood County Insurance office. The meeting is open to all members.

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Effective this month and through May, the Thrift Shop, operated by the Hondo Garden Club, will be open on Monday and Wednesday afternoons from 2 until 5 o'clock to the Saturday opening of 9 to 11 and 2 to 5.

Persons who would like to see the fast-turning into lovely ways may do so by phoning W. L. Taylor, in charge of the shop, to come by and pick up the items. Clothing, and especially children's sizes, is the item sold at the shop, but household goods including dishes, kitchen items "move" fast. If the item has any value at the Garden Club will be happy to sell it.

Money derived from the shop is used on the Highway Department, now more than half in length. Upkeep, especially during the summer, has run high. It can help keep them pretty by using your used articles for sale by club members, who turn working at the shop on a volunteer basis.

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Farmers and ranchmen are reminded that September 30 is the deadline for submitting applications for a refund of the Federal gasoline used for farming purposes since July 1, 1956.

Form operators who have not a claim may obtain Form 1040-E from the Internal Revenue Service office. Claims will be checked for accuracy and claimants, therefore, should be certain that figures are correct. Sufficient records should be kept to verify the claim. Claims should be submitted to the district Internal Revenue office to which income tax returns are sent.

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Legislation which makes the refund was passed by Congress in the spring of 1956.

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By Swartzell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Swartzell, is back home at San Antonio hospital. He had his left arm amputated between the wrist and elbow last Thursday. He has done so well that he is expected to start on Hondo High next week.

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An amputation was found several weeks following a car accident in which his car turned over.

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Hartung, once a major outfielder and a pitcher for the New York Giants, died across the deciding run Thursday night as the United States defeated Colombia, 6-3, in the world series baseball game in Detroit.

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The 34-year-old Hondoan lined up to left field and scored three runs, who had tripled earlier, Wilmer Fields, voted most valuable player in the national tournament at Tulsa, Kan., then hit a 2-run home run against the second deck in the field and put the contest out of reach.

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Mrs. Martha Baker announced that she had purchased Williams Flower Shop which has been operating for some time. She plans to continue operating under that name for the present. L. D. Williams, former owner, is now living in Pasadena.

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Local Security Representative, Wade, will be in Hondo at District Courtroom on Tuesday, Sept. 24, at 9:00 a.m.

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L. D. Williams called on the day and said a parakeet had just flown into his service. He didn't seem to need a new job, but he did offer the feathered creature some food and water. Anybody missing a bird might call Ralph.



LT. WARREN M. PIERCE is shown taking the oath of office read by Lt. Col. John C. O'Donnell to become a First Lieutenant in the regular Air Force. A student officer in Class 58-M, he is the student officer Wing Commander. His wife, Betty Ann, and daughter, Rachel, reside with him at 110 Cedar, Hondo.

Both Hondo PTA Associations Schedule Openers Next Week

Elementary

The first meeting of the Hondo Elementary Parents and Teachers Association will be held Tuesday evening, September 24, at 7:30 p.m. at the new Meyer Elementary School.

In addition to the introduction of the elementary school teachers and administrative personnel for the coming school year, J. G. Barry, Superintendent of the Hondo Independent School District, will talk on the systems problems and objectives for this year. It is hoped that the members of the School board can be present for this meeting.

Also, a short talk on the P.T.A. and its duties and purpose will be given by Mrs. Mary Stinnett, past State President and regional Vice President of the National Parents and Teachers Association. A color film entitled "America the Beautiful" will be shown. It was produced under the auspices of the United States Treasury Department.

At the conclusion of the meeting a reception will be held honoring the school faculty. Refreshments will be served. All parents and interested friends are invited to attend.

High School

"New Ventures in Partnership" is the theme of the 1957-58 P.T.A. Program Outline. The first meeting of the Hondo High School P.T.A. will be held Monday, September 23, at 8:00 p.m.

J. G. Barry, Superintendent, will address the group on the topic Operation-Cooperation.

Other features of the program will include a preview of the year's programs and instrumental solos by band members.

Parents and teachers of all high school students and other interested adults are urged to be present. A social and fellowship hour will follow the program.

DeWitt Services Held Tuesday

Funeral services for Charles Evans DeWitt, 41, were held Tuesday, September 17, 1957, in Hondo.

Born in Tom Bean, Texas, May 8, 1916, Mr. DeWitt was well known in the area as a salesman for Watkins and McNess products, and had been working in the Castroville, Hondo and LaCoste areas for almost 10 years.

A widower, Mr. DeWitt was a veteran of World War II. He was wounded during a bombing raid, and was also shot down on a Japanese occupied island, where he and the pilot lived in a cave for several months.

He had been seriously ill, and had been in a patient in the Castroville hospital, and then at Brooke General Hospital in San Antonio recently. Mr. DeWitt had been living in the Arthur Franke home, four miles west of Hondo.

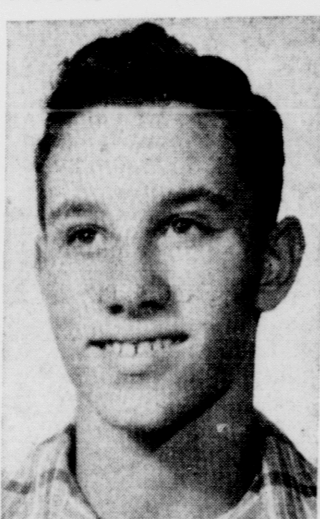
A member of a San Antonio Baptist Church, he was also a Mason, and a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He had been an official in the Dale Carnegie club for Texas. The services were attended by many of his relatives from Sherman and Dallas. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Lele Mae DeWitt, two brothers and two sisters.

Pall bearers were Harold Moehring, Doyle Weber, Oscar Bippert, Wesley Heyen, Herbert Wurzbach, and R. H. Bippert. Burial was in the Chapel Memorial Gardens, San Antonio.



AMONG THE 159 beginners at Meyer Elementary School this year are these first graders, taught by Mrs. Kathleen Finger. Seated, front row, left to right, are: Isaac Henderson, Ronald Knowles, Joe Dowdy, Alberto Arredondo, Bobby Ortiz, Gerry Cortez, Wallace Lee, Mark Sizemore and Mikal Clay Griffin. Second row: Lydia Barron, Linda Gilliam, Barbara Berger, Linda Moss, Laura Moss, Katrina Thomson, Connie Saathoff, Patricia Cosgrove and Jesusa Alvarez.

FFA, FHA Name Sweethearts



Bobby Swartzell

Bobby Swartzell, a Senior, and Jimmy Applewhite, Junior, were elected co-Sweethearts of the Hondo F.F.A. girls at a meeting in the high school cafeteria Monday night, Sept. 9.

Joylene Tilley, president, conducted the business meeting. At its conclusion, refreshments were served to approximately 80 F.F.A. members and to the F.F.A. boys.



Linda Sue Tondre

The Hondo F.F.A. selected Miss Linda Sue Tondre chapter sweetheart for the school year of 1957-1958.

She is head cheerleader, member of the high school band, and a junior in high school.

Officials Pick Annual Staff

H. R. Burch, Hondo High Principal, has announced the annual staff for the school this year, including Sara Moore as editor.

Others selected were: assistant editor, Howard Saathoff; photo editor, Roxene Schweers; asst. photo editor, Georgene Deckert; activities editor, Joylene Tilley; asst. activities editor, Annette Duncan; Sports editor, Georg Gaston; asst. sports editor, Gary Schweers; business manager, Richard Corder; and asst. business manager, Jean Tate.

Mrs. Ethel Hartman is advisor-sponsor of the group.



Jimmy Applewhite

AN EDITORIAL

The possibility that Hondo Air Base might be closed has been with us since the day it opened. When World War II ended, it was shut down, and while it was widely predicted that Hondo would become a ghost town, nothing of the sort happened.

Our civic leaders are doing, and have done, all in their power to present an honest picture of what the airfield means to our region, and how much better conditions for teaching flying are in this area than in others now being considered.

That is all anyone can do, so whatever happens, whether the base is closed next year, or remains open indefinitely, we must remember that there are other ways of making a living besides working for the government. We all did it before, and we can all do it again.

Hondo wants a fair break in the discussions and in the final decision. If we get that, we believe the base will stay open. If not, there are other things that can be done at the base, and you can be certain every effort will be made to get them going.

Air Force Intends To Close Two More



NEWEST MEMBER of the Anvil Herald staff is Winnie Secrest of Devine. Winnie will take over the teletypewriter duties from Ann Langfeld, who is enrolled for the fall semester in Southwest Texas Junior College.

The new A-Her is married and has two teenage daughters in Devine High. Her husband, O. V. Secrest, teaches in Devine Junior High School.

Forgery Lands Men In State Prison

Sheriff Charles J. Hitzfelder says that things have been relatively quiet around the county the last three weeks or so—about the only things he has to relate are a suicide, three men sent to prison for forgery and two sent up for burglary.

C. E. DeWitt, who resided with Arthur T. Franke about four miles west of Hondo, was found dead with a butane gas jet in his mouth. Harold Moehring discovered the body and the sheriff's department investigated.

Neighbors said that the man had been in ill health for months and that he had recently spent some time in a veteran's hospital. The Justice of Peace listed his death as a suicide.

FORGERIES

Rogers B. Van Zandt of Sherman pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery and was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary.

Terry Field, Leakey, had his five year probation revoked and was sent to prison on the same charge and Albert Haywood Allen of Alabama received three years for purchasing merchandise with a Humble Credit Card that belonged to someone else.

BURGLARY

Orange William O'Connor and Johnny Marion Taylor, both of Natalia, received two-year sentences for burglary, of Universal Butane Company, Devine, last June.

Holy Smoke

ARREST BIBLE SALESMAN

Nile Haymaker is probably wondering if "piety" pays.

A Bible salesman from Roosevelt, Utah, Haymaker was arrested in Devine on a charge of forgery, according to Sheriff Charles J. Hitzfelder, and is now in Medina County jail awaiting trial.

He is accused of forging the name of J. B. Harrison on a \$10 check. Found on him was a mimeographed list of all Hondo ladies who are members of the W. S. C. S. of First Methodist Church, and on the back of the paper was Harrison's name, apparently where Haymaker had "practiced" writing the signature, the sheriff said.

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Word that Hondo Air Base might be closed by the Air Force was received here Wednesday morning. There are presently seven contract flying schools like this one, and the Air Force plans to reduce the number to five, probably effective at the end of the next fiscal year, July 1, 1958.

According to information from Washington, the decision as to which schools will be closed is to be based on cost of operation and efficiency ratings. Last year, Hondo was at the bottom of the ratings list, but has made substantial improvement during the past year, and is now in the middle group. It is currently flying students at the lowest cost per flying hour, and has good total cost figures at this time. Local officials are trying to present up-to-date statistics for the guidance of those Air Force officers who will make the decision, perhaps Wednesday afternoon, (Sept. 18).

In the event that the remaining program is discontinued, Texas Aviation Industries will seek maintenance and repair contracts with the Air Force. If these can be obtained, there would be continued operations with most of the same personnel that have been assembled and trained over the past few years.

Judge A. H. Rothe, Mayor T. B. Knopp, and members of the Hondo city council and Air Field Properties commission were busy Wednesday morning making plans to telephone all officials who could help in presenting the current facts about operations at Hondo, and to explain other reasons why continued H.A.B. operation would be in the best interests of the government.

Below is a copy of the telegram sent by Mayor T. B. Knopp to congressmen of Texas, and to Governor Price Daniel.

I am advised the Secretary of the Air Force is considering recommendations to eliminate Hondo Air Base as an Air Force Primary Contract Flying School. There are now 7 schools of this type. Hondo has excellent facilities such as dual runways capable of accommodating jet aircraft, excellent taxiways, and an abundance of parking apron; all of which represents substantial investments. Buildings are excellent and include 8 new permanent type buildings housing student pilots. These new buildings have only been occupied for approximately 30 days.

Air space at Hondo is not congested and no airways cross Hondo, providing safe training areas for students. Randolph Field, the headquarters for ATC and FTA, is located 55 air miles from Hondo, providing a minimum cost of communication and transportation between the school and headquarters.

Medina County and Hondo have long been in a drought area and closing the school will result in serious economic problems. This school has highly trained and experienced personnel. The contractor is endeavoring to secure maintenance and overhaul contracts. If this school is continued in operation it will give the contractor an opportunity to secure maintenance or overhaul contracts and the ability to continue the employment of residents and citizens of the community and surrounding area.

We realize that the AF must reduce flying training program and the number of bases now in operation. However, if we are able to keep our largest single industrial facility within a four county area alive, it would do much to maintain the economic stability of this drought stricken area. Hondo Air Base is also designated as an evacuation base for Kelly AB and Medina Base. Relations between the contractor, the military, and the community are excellent. Underground water supply, power, and utilities are ample and economical. It is requested that recommendations of the Air Force for the closing of the Hondo school be carefully reviewed and evaluated in comparison with other Air Force Training facilities. Any action on your part to investigate this matter and protest the closing of this school will be greatly appreciated.

Triplets Born To Devine Lady

Triplets were born early Thursday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Young, Devine. The event took place in Baptist Memorial Hospital, and the babies are in the incubator due to size. All are reported doing well.

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Castroville PTA Holds Planning Session

The Castroville PTA opened their activities for the year on Monday night with a planning session. The effective groundwork of the executive committee and the enthusiastic cooperation of the members promise a very successful year.

After the invocation by Mrs. L. D. Nuckles, school board president C. V. Green introduced Superintendent Alfred Bell, who presented the new principals, Mr. Hood and Mr. Johnson. They introduced the members of the faculty. Castroville has the distinction of having a teaching staff on which every member has a degree and is teaching in his major field.

For several years the PTA has sent a student to the summer twirling school at Texas Lutheran College. After an expert performance by Drum Major Barbara Haby and Majorettes Mary Gail Griggs and Jonell Riff, it was agreed that the girls had made the most of the training.

The chairman of the standing committees presented their preliminary reports, and a partial list of goals for the year was adopted. The largest item was an appropriation to provide additional visual aids for the two schools. Others, requiring further investigation, will be considered at the next meeting.

The chief item of business was discussion of the annual school carnival, tentatively set for October 19. The general committee for the carnival is composed of Jack Mathis, C. V. Green, and L. D. Nuckles.

Attendance prizes were won by the classes of Mrs. Bessie Sittre and Mr. Phil Rogers.

After the business meeting Mrs. Theo Wurzbach, Mrs. C. V. Green,

William Bohl, 80 Buried In LaCoste

William Bohl, 80, passed away at his residence in La Coste, Sept. 8, after seven months of illness. He was born in Castroville Oct. 21, 1876 and was married to Seraphina Echtle on Oct. 21, 1912. He was fortified with the last sacraments of the Catholic church of which he was a life long member.

A member of Woodman of the World and social member of the Sons of Hermann, he also belonged to the La Coste and Castroville fire departments.

Mr. Bohl is survived by his widow, Mrs. Seraphina Bohl; daughters Miss Florentina Bohl, Mrs. Raymond (Alice) Salzman of La Coste, Mrs. Quintin (Ellen) Haby of Rio Medina; sons Harry A. and Howard W. Bohl of La Coste; brother Frank A. Bohl of La Coste; and four grandchildren.

Rosary was held Monday evening at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday morning in Castroville, followed by Requiem Mass at Our Lady of Grace Church, La Coste.

Interment was in Our Lady of Grace cemetery with the Rev. Hubert Bowman officiating. Pallbearers were nephews of the deceased: Edward Bohl, Oscar Biediger, Earnest Echtle, Ervin Hitzfelder, Henry Echtle and Geo. Zinsmeyer.

Honorary pallbearers were members of the Woodmen of the World and Son of Hermann, R. J. Mangold, R. A. Biediger, Henry Geiger and A. E. Jungman.

Castro Marine On Manuevers

Marine Pfc. Leandro Colunga, son of Mrs. Jesusita Colunga of Castroville, participated in the Unit Combat Marksmanship Competition at Quantico, Va., Sept. 9-13, representing the 1st Marine Division's 5th Regiment from Camp Pendleton, Calif.

The Quantico competition will select the rifle squad most proficient in combat marksmanship from Marine regiments throughout the Corps. Squads will be judged on their effectiveness in simulated combat situations and their marksmanship scored upon pop-up and moving field targets.



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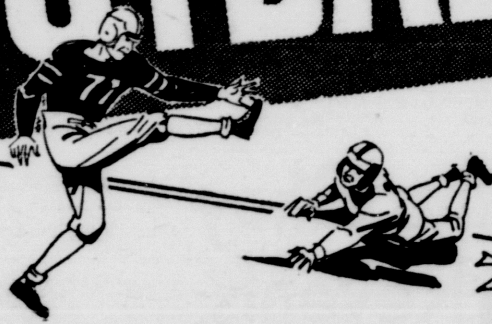
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BARRY FIELD

Owls Schedule

Sept. 6 -- Hondo 18 -- Jourdanton 19

Sept. 13--Hondo 13--Del Rio 40

Sept. 20 Kenedy at Hondo

Sept. 27 Uvalde at Hondo

Oct. 4 Hondo at Floresville

Oct. 11 Devine at Hondo

Oct. 18 Open

Oct. 25 Hondo at Cotulla

Nov. 1 Hondo at Carrizo

Nov. 8 Hondo at Pearsall

Nov. 15 Dilley at Hondo

Kathy Bendele Leads Sodality

The St. John's Sodality met and elected officers. They are: President, Kathy Bendele; Vice-President, Rita Hoffman; Secretary, Anna Taylor; Treasurer, Myrna Britsch; and Reporter, Rita Ulrich.

The group decided to attend a day of recollection and a Catholic youth convention in San Antonio at Incarnate Word College. A social followed the meeting.

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LACOSTE NEWS

By Mrs. Ida Jungman

Mrs. Wm. J. Engelbrecht and sons Barry and Tommy and Mrs. Dowdy of SA visited with Mrs. Ida Jungman Saturday and Sunday. M&M A. N. Mangold were her dinner guests.

Frank Miksch of Carrizo Springs, M&M Alex Jungman, Jr. M&M Chas. Embry and family of SA were home Sunday with M&M Alex E. Jungman, Sr., in LaCoste.

Those visiting Mrs. Jungman and daughter, Mrs. Helen Jungman of Rio Medina, were M&M Alex Jungman and Mrs. Mary Gross.

Sunday night the annual Game Party of Our Lady of Grace School will be held. Everybody is invited to come out.

Those from our community attending the fall festival in Jourdanton, sponsored by the Catholic church Sunday were M&M A. N. Mangold, of Rt. 4, SA, Mrs. Joe Hoog of Castroville, Mrs. Ida Jungman of LaCoste, M&M Curly Mechler of Castroville, M&M Joe Steidle of Dunlay, M&M N. E. Mansfield, SA., M&M Oscar Bippert and family of Castroville Rd.



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Four From D'Hanis Going to U. of Texas

By Mrs. Amos Finger

Enrolled at Texas University in Austin for the fall term are Herb Zinsmeyer and Mike Finger, who left Monday; Othell Batto, who was accompanied to Austin by his mother, Mrs. Cletus Batto, Gerald and Rita Ann, Sunday; and Harlan Wolff, who is leaving this week. Commuting to the Junior College at Uvalde are Ann Langfeld, Joe Langfeld, Gene Koch and Ramon Rodriguez.

M&M H. J. Franger and M&M A. H. Finger and son Chris spent Sunday in Corpus Christi as guests of M&M Edgar Ney. The occasion was Mr. Ney's birthday. Others present were M&M Stanley Smith of SA, M&M Henry Franger of LaCoste, and M&M Pierce Stacy and Betsy of Bryan.

Members of the Sodality of Holy Cross Parish who attended the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Youth Convention at Incarnate Word College Sunday were as follows: Carol Ann Finger, Joan Carle, Linda Nester, Linda Grimsinger, Walter John Burrell, Pat Ney, and Charles Edmondson. The group was accompanied by Mrs. Raymond Finger.

Mrs. Henry Biry and Miss Carrie Langfeld were in Devine Sunday afternoon for the meeting of the Deanery Council of Catholic Women.

M&M Wilfred Zerr have been notified of the transfer of their son, Tommy Zerr, to Farmington, New Mexico, where he will continue his work with the Standard Oil Company. He had been employed with the company for the past five months in Snyder, Texas.

M&M H. J. Eggen of SA were

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guests of M&M Carl Rudinger last week. The Eggens and her sister, Mrs. Louise Selman, have returned from a trip to St. Paul, Minn., and North Dakota where they visited relatives.

M&M Clifton Reinhart and children from SA visited their grandparents, M&M Paul Reinhart and Miss Lena. Mrs. Fritz Weber of Charlotte also visited them Sunday.

Mrs. Pat Cowser and son Ben Daly of Del Rio were guests of M&M C. M. Gaber on Monday. Ben Daly stayed with Mrs. Gaber while his parents visited in SA.

Guests of M&M Raymond N. ter and Roland Saturday were her mother, Mrs. J. M. Jones, and M&M W. M. Reese and Kraen and Sheri of SA.

Justice Court

B. E. McMellon, over gross weight, fined \$25.

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W. W. Wiggins, no hunting license, fined \$25.

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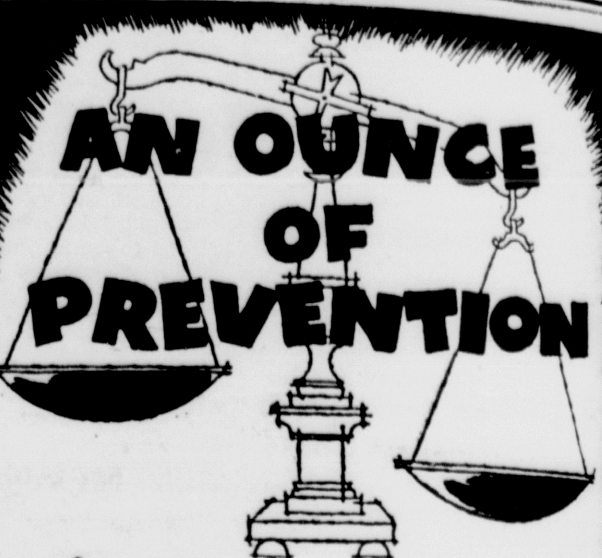
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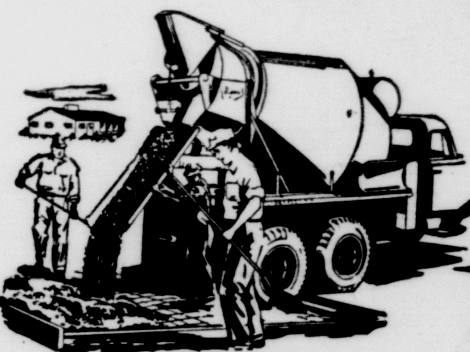
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Representatives from Devine, Hondo, D'Hanis, Pearsall, Natalia and LaCoste parishes elected the following new officers: Mrs. R. J. Mangold, President, LaCoste; Mrs. Henry Zinsmeyer, V. P., of LaCoste; Mrs. Marvin Franger, Secretary, LaCoste; and the Very Rev. Harold Ehlinger, St. John's parish, Hondo, as Moderator.

Jo A. Heiligman Feted On Birthday

YANCEY — Little friends of Jo Heiligman, with their mothers, gathered at the Jimmie Heiligman's Wednesday afternoon to help her celebrate her seventh birthday.

After games and opening gifts birthday cake, ice cream and punch was served to the little guests.

The cake was white, oblong, with blue flowers around it, with candles in matching holders.

One corner, in center front was a little doll with blond curls in a full blue skirt, leading a blue french poodle.

Those enjoying the party were, Sam Kennedy, Sammie, Colleen and Pat, Mrs. Roy Wilson, Tommy, Peggy and Claire.

Mrs. George Wilson, Gail, and Don, Mrs. Wilbur Wilson, and Steve, Mrs. Joe Connell, Joe, Mrs. Leroy Fasel, Ray and Randy, Mrs. Fielding Wiemers, Wayne and Lonnie, Bob Ralph, Coy David and Linda Sue Kempf, Carla Gruenwald, Mrs. Pete Hardt and Terry and Mrs. W. A. Moore, Teddy, John and Paul.

NEW BABY DEPARTMENT

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YANCEY NEWS

Claxton Draper of Austin spent Friday with M&M W. S. Garnett, M&M Bob Brooks and Sherrill of SA spent Saturday afternoon with the Harrison Wilsons. Other guests on Sunday were Misses Clara Steenman and Orrietta Berry of SA. Miss Steinman is Supervisor of the Lutheran Hospital there and Miss Berry is Principal of the schools in Northeast Bexar County.

Visiting M&M Willie Fasel Thursday afternoon were Mrs. Alfred Brucks, Mrs. Ernest Hartman, Mrs. John Britch, Mrs. Fritz Fuos, Mrs. Hubert Burger, Mrs. Lazetta Burger, Mrs. Emil Fuos, of Hondo and M&M John Bohm, Mrs. Alfred Wiemers, Mrs. George Heiligman and Mrs. Alfred Bogus.

Mrs. Chris Wiemers, Mrs. George Fasel and the Rev. Rucker went with Mrs. A. J. Hardt and Mrs. L. F. Fasel last Wednesday Mrs. Hardt and Mrs. Fasel attended the meeting Marble Falls on Tuesday.

Word came on Sunday that the J. N. Wilsons, who have been at Scott and White at Temple, where he has been for treatment, will be home Friday or Saturday to stay.

HOSPITAL NEWS

ADMITTANCES

Mrs. Hazel Joiner, Sept. 15, medical.

Mrs. Concepcion Sanchez, Sept. 12, surgery.

Ann Rodriguez, Sept. 10, medical.

James Prescott, Sept. 10, snake bite.

Joe G. Altschoff, Sept. 12, accident.

Mrs. Nita Groff, Sept. 13, medical.

Teodora Lopez, Sept. 9, medical.

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Mrs. Nina Freeman, Sept. 11, medical.

Fernando Cabrera, Sept. 14, medical.

NEW BABIES

Tim Lee, to M&M Ralph Charles Gilliam on Sept. 14, 8 lbs.

Sally Jol to M&M Ralph J. Noonan, on Sept. 12, 6 lbs. 4 ozs.

Fernando, to M&M Francisco Cabrera on Sept. 10, 6 lbs. 9 ozs.

Dolores Esmeralda, to M&M Julian Gonzales on Sept. 13, 6 lbs. 7 ozs.

Ernestina M. to M&M Perfecto P. Garcia on Sept. 12, 8 lbs.

Reynaldo, to M&M Reynaldo Torres on Sept. 13, 6 lbs. 1 oz.

Alfredo, to M&M Carlos Muniz, on Sept. 10, 9 lbs. 2 ozs.

Quihi News

Sunday dinner guests of M&M Wilkes Wiemers in honor of their daughter, Joyce's birthday were M&M Frank Muennink, M&M Franklin Muennink and children Glenn, Karen and Debbie, Doris, Judy, and Duane Wiemers, and George Steele of SA.

Sunday visitors in the Jacob Schweers home were M&M Louis Roundtree Sr. and M&M Louis Roundtree Jr. of SA and Charles Schweers.

Mrs. Jacob Schweers, Mrs. Frank Graff, Miss Emma Graff, and Mrs. Bill Santelaban were Devine visitors on Sunday.

M&M Alfred Saathoff and daughters, Willie Jean, Dolly, and Patricia visited in the Anton Balzen home in SA Sunday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of M&M Henry Loessberg were M&M Louis Grell.

Mrs. Marlin Naeglin and Mrs. A. W. Mooney were Fredericksburg visitors on Wednesday.

Miss Maggie Reitzer and her brother, Teddy, were Sunday evening visitors of M&M Henry Loessberg.

Sunday visitors in the home of M&M Fritz Hartman were M&M Jay Hartman, M&M Harold Hartman, M&M James Moss and baby, Mrs. Chester Walsh and children, Mrs. Willie Hartman and Mrs. A. W. Mooney and Kathy.

M&M Roy Heyen of New York are visiting relatives in Hondo and our community.

M&M Arnold Lindeburg were Sunday evening visitors in the home of M&M A. W. Mooney.

Those enjoying home-made ice cream with M&M Leslie Heyen on Saturday evening were M&M Alfred Boehle and Carolyn, M&M Franklin Muennink and children, Glenn, Karen and Debbie, and M&M Roy heyen.

Saturday evening visitors of M&M Geo. Hartman were M&M A. W. Mooney and children, Kathy and Billy.

M&M Jack Sharp were weekend visitors in Ft. Worth of M&M R. J. Koch and children, Mike, Kyle, and Suzie. They also visited M&M Willie Smith and sons at Joshua.

M&M Geo. Hartman were Sunday evening visitors of M&M John R. Wentz.

Joyce Wiemers was an overnight guest of her sister, Doris, in SA on Saturday.

Settlement News

By Mrs. R. H. Bayer

M&M Cornelius Haby of SA were out at their place the past Saturday looking over work done. Gross and Mrs. J. D. Schweers. They called briefly on Mr. Henry Gross, Mollie Schmitt of SA and Mrs. Millie Jagge of Castroville called on Henry Gross and Mrs. J. D. Schweers Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Angeline Burger of SA spent the weekend at Three Point with sister Emma Tschirhart. They visited Mrs. Rosa Carle and Henry Sunday afternoon.

Several from here attended the Rosary and funeral service of Mr. Frank A. Groff of Castroville Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Lina Fuos spent the past weekend at the J. D. Schweers and attended the St. Louis Celebration Sunday.

Miss Kay and Vickie Ann Biediger spent Wednesday night with Frances Naegelin at Rio Medina.

LACOSTE NEWS

By Mrs. R. R. Koch

The opening of Marguerite's Beauty Shop in LaCoste, Wed., Sept. 4th, drew a big attendance. Winners of prizes were: Mrs. C. J. Keller, Mrs. Alvin Santleben, Mrs. Henry Zinsmeyer, Mrs. Howard Mangold, Mrs. Alfred Tondre, Mrs. A.C. Heath, and Mrs. Antonio Duron.

M&M Jerome Rihn and children, Mrs. Bernard Rihn, Anthony and Barbara, Mrs. Elmer Jungman, Margaret and Patricia, Mrs. Reba Keller and sons and Mrs. A. W. Ahr, were some who attended the Rihn and Respondek wedding at Castroville Saturday morning.

Gary Griffin, who has been employed in Houston during the summer, spent a few days here with his grandmother, Mrs. Alvina Salzman, and other relatives and friends. He departed Wednesday for Kingsville where he will attend A&I College.

Mrs. Alex Hitzfelder and children visited Sunday with their parents, Mrs. and Mrs. R.A. Biediger Sr. and family.

Paul Koenig, George Kunze and grandson George and L.M. Pittman Jr. were visitors at upper Quihi Sunday.

T-Sgt. and Mrs. R. A. Biediger Jr. of Waco spent the weekend here with their parents, M&M R. A. Biediger Sr. and family and M&M G. T. Moeller and other relatives.

L. M. Pittman Sr. left for Richmond Monday, where he will stay for some time.

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Morty Mechler left over the weekend for Stephenville where he will enter Tarleton State College. He plans to major in chemical engineering.

Carolyn McDowell has enrolled in Our Lady of the Lake as a freshman.

M&M Virgil Geiser have returned from a visit to relatives in Houston and Huntsville. Mrs. Geiser's father, Rev. Thigpen, who had been visiting her, returned with them to his home in Huntsville.

M&M Arthur Schlentz and M&M Elmer Bader returned Sunday night from a vacation trip through West Texas and New Mexico. Places of interest they visited in Texas were the Big Bend Nat'l Park, McDonald Observatory, Red Bluff Dam, and in New Mexico the White Sands Nat'l Monument, Lincoln Nat'l Forest and Elephant Butte Dam at Truth or Consequences.

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THE ENGAGEMENT of Miss Joyce Schott of Devine, daughter of Mrs. Helen Schott and the late George Schott, to Dennis Rihn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rihn of LaCoste, is made by her mother. The wedding will take place on Oct. 26 in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Devine.

MISS MABETH McDANIEL MARRIES IN GEORGIA

Miss Eleta Mabeth McDaniel, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. L. A. McDaniel of San Angelo, and William Otis Simmons, son of Mr. H. C. Simmons and the late Mrs. Simmons of Phoenix City, Ala. were married in a double ring ceremony on the evening of August 23 in the St. Marks Methodist Church, Atlanta, Ga. Her father, the Rev. Leslie A. McDaniel read the ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, David. Her gown was fashioned with a bouffant skirt of lustrous satin and tulle that ended in a chapel train. It was topped with an over skirt of Chantilly lace ending in points that kissed the hemline. The fitted bodice of lace was fashioned with Sabrina neckline and long sleeves ending in points over her hands. She carried a white Bible topped with white orchids and stephanotis.

Miss Elaine McDaniel, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor. Her dress was of ice blue crystalline fashioned with full skirt of ballerina length. Mrs. Majorie Gullatt, cousin of the groom and the other attendant, wore pink crystalline. They wore matching feather bandeaus and carried Colonial bouquets of pink asters.

Robert D. Gullatt was best man and Grover and Charles Simmons, brothers of the groom were ushers.

Miss Edith Blair furnished the pre-nuptial music and accompaniment.

ed Clyde Herndon as he sang "If God Left Only You", "Because," and "The Lord's Prayer."

The chapel was simply decorated with candelabra and altar flowers of white gladioli and asters.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the church parlor. Frosted raspberry punch and angel food cake were served by Mrs. Malcolm Simmons and Mrs. Adolphus Simmons. The table was covered with an Italian cut-work cloth over blue. The center piece was of gladioli and asters. The bride's table was decorated with a hand crocheted cloth over blue. It held the large three-tiered angel cake topped miniature bride and groom and decorated with sugar bells and lacey spun sugar hearts and the large anniversary candle. Mrs. M. S. Hill presided at the bride's book.

Mrs. Simmons is a graduate of Hondo High School and Southwest Texas State Teachers College. Mr. Simmons is a graduate of Phoenix City High School and Auburn College, Alabama. He is now studying engineering at Georgia Tech. His occupation is assistant engineer of Georgia Power Company of Atlanta. Mrs. Simmons is employed as a teacher in the Atlanta Schools.

After a short wedding trip to Jacksonville, Fla., the Simmons are at home 2032 Bolton Drive, Apartment 3, Atlanta, Ga.



Mr. and Mrs. Monico Hernandez

Marriage Ceremony Solemnized In Our Lady Of Guadalupe Church

The marriage of Miss Elena Flores, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Flores of Hondo, to Monico Hernandez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eduardo Hernandez of Hondo, was solemnized by Rev. H. J. Ehlinger in Our Lady Of Guadalupe Church, Aug. 24, 1957.

The bride's gown was a copy of Debbie Reynolds' gown. It had a long train and the lace over-skirt also had a train. The fitted bodice and the long sleeves came to points.

The bridesmaids were Miss Lou Reyes and Miss Rebecca Flores, wore white ballerina length dresses with lace over-skirts. The bridesmaids were Miss Flora Guedea, Miss Carmen Martinez, Miss Lupe Martinez, Miss Maria Luisa Reyes, Miss Olga Dominguez and Miss Chlotilde Escamilla. They also wore ballerina length gowns of net and lace. Lupe Flores and Mary Ann Hernandez were flower girls.

A reception was held in Our Lady of Guadalupe Hall. Following a wedding trip to Corpus Christi, the couple is at home at 1611 12th St.

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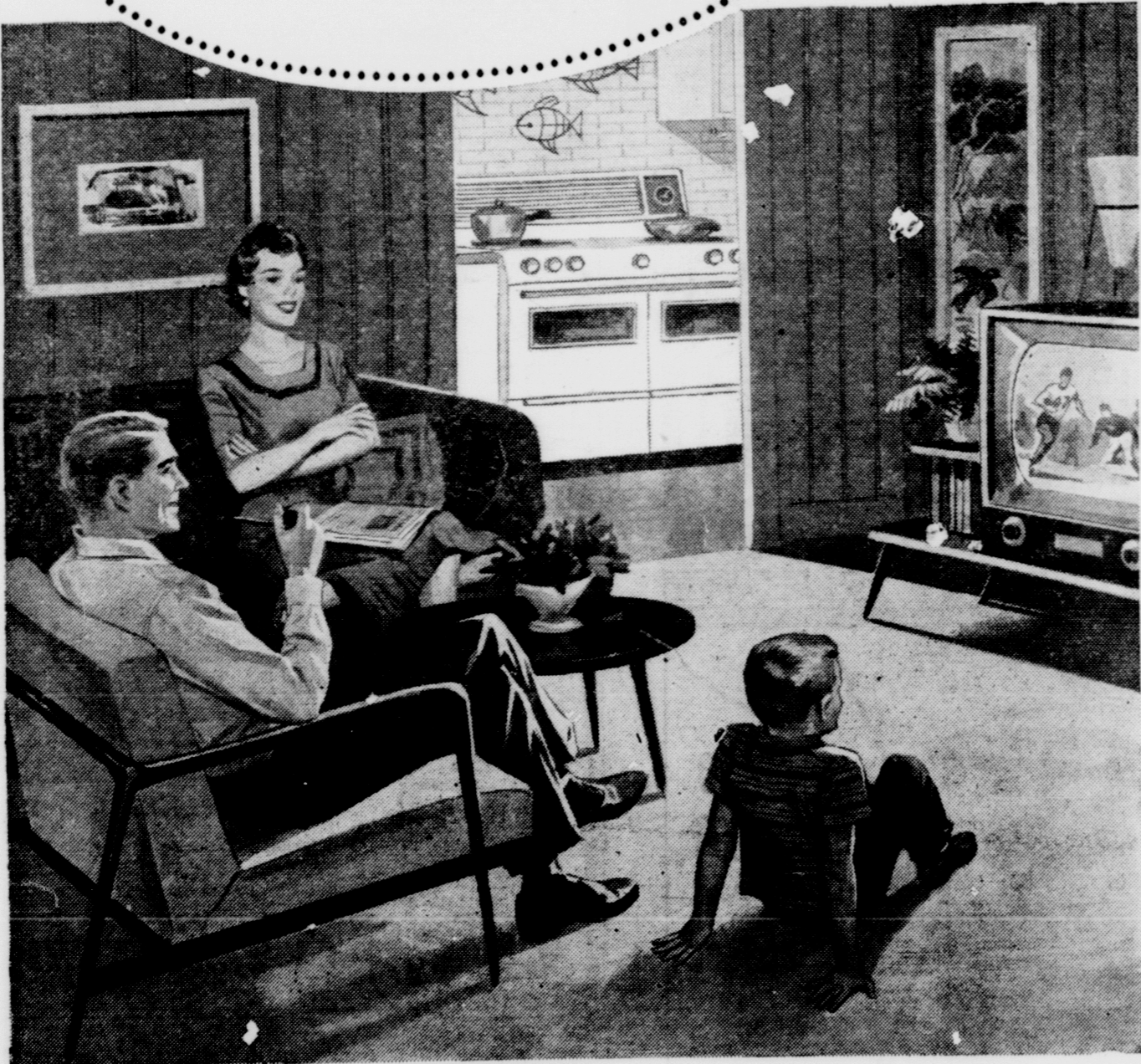
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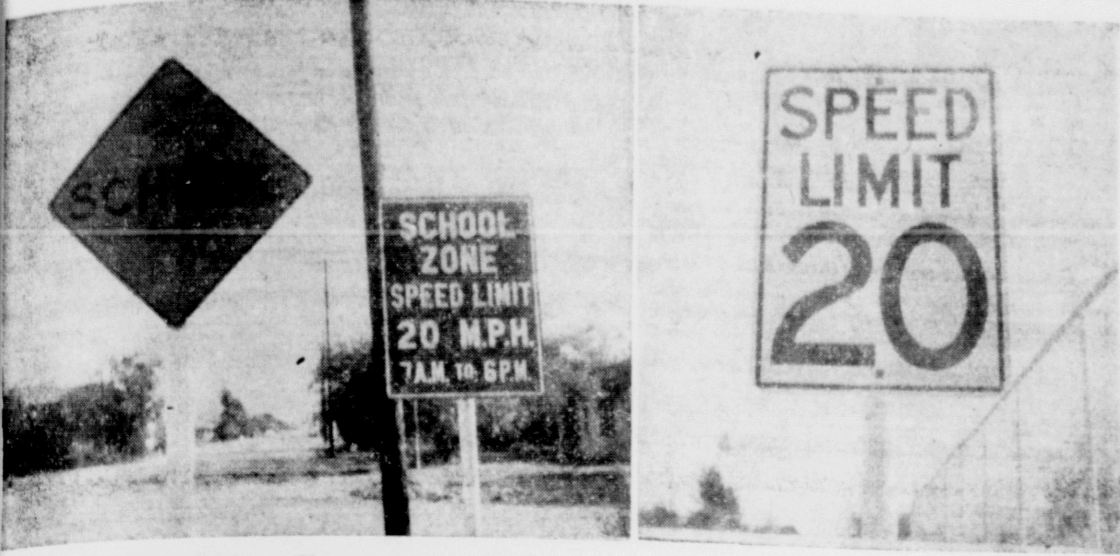
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PICTURE EDITORIAL: These Signs of the Times mean drive carefully, and especially so since school children are involved. These youngsters, walking along or riding

their bikes, frequently have things other than traffic on their mind. Parents and teachers caution them to be careful, of course, but in case they forget, you re-

member. Lets see if Medina County can get through the school year without a single accident involving a school child pedestrian.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir:
The Hondo Business & Professional Women's Club is a progressive organization and our policy has been to always endorse all projects which better our community, state and nation.
We feel that progress is our community received a tremendous setback in last week's Hospital election and do hereby go on record as endorsing the Chamber of Commerce's efforts to obtain adequate hospital facilities in any feasible manner.
Mrs. R. V. Stanga, President.

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Pedro Muzquiz to Estevan Fraga, et ux warranty deed to lots 1, 2, blk. 9, Natalia. \$10, etc.
Calvin C. Hartman, et ux to Arthur C. Roeder et ux, warranty deed with vendor's lien to plot at Avenue L. and 24th Sts., Hondo. \$5,500.
William Huegele et ux to John H. Schueling, et ux, deed with vendor's lien to 200 acre tract. \$27,000.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Manuel Pina and Lola Orandoy, Sept. 7.
Victor Lee Burrell and Lucille Rymers, Sept. 7.
Ernest Gilguero and Simona Morales, Sept. 7.
Anselmo Rodriguez and Rosa Delion, Sept. 7.
Victor Dominguez and Mary Ureste Escamilla, Sept. 11.
Gregorio Guevara and Oralia Lillie Ramirez, Sept. 13.
Alfredo Morin and Mary Celido Mendoza, Sept. 14.

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MR. SANTLEBEN ENGAGES IN SOME VARIED OCCUPATIONS

The reducing works of the Catorce mines were situated near a stream that ran along the base of the mountains where the ore was worked both by smelting and by patio, or cold amalgamation process. The hard, and the last for the soft ore that were taken from the mine. There were several circular depressions, each about two feet in depth and seventy-five feet in circumference, with its bottom sloping from the center to the outer rim. These were cut in the solid rock and cemented, and each was enclosed around the edges by a strong fence about eight feet in height.

The soft ore was first ground on steel mills to the fineness of sand; and the powder was then placed in one of the circular excavations to the thickness of eight inches. It was then saturated with water, and a quantity of quick-silver was added. A number of wild mules was then turned into the enclosure until there was not enough room for them to turn round and the gate was closed. The mules were then driven around the circle as rapidly as possible by men with whips who were stationed at intervals on the fence. When the animals were completely fagged out others equally wild relieved them and each time more water was added. When the pulverized ore was reduced to the consistency of mud, it was washed clean, and nothing but the silver amalgam remained that was deposited in grooves, made for that purpose in the cement floor. This was gathered and smelted in a furnace from which the silver was run into bars.

The process was similar to the common practice in olden times, when grain was tramped out by horses on a barn floor, and it was equally successful. The owner of the mine raised large numbers of mules on his ranch expressly for the purpose, and when sufficiently tamed they were placed on the market. This description is given with the belief that the methods then in use have been discarded since the introduction of stamp mills and other improved machinery.

"A much harder ore was taken from the same mine, called miling ore, which was carried direct to a furnace. The furnace was built in the side of a hill and resembled a lime kiln, with an opening in the tip to receive ore. A peculiar kind of wood was used for smelting the ore that produced an intense heat which was kept up until a sluggish stream of silver flowed out below into molds that turned out bars of uniform size.

"We remained at the smelting works three days, during which time I made several visits to the town of Catorce. I rode up the mountain on a donkey and the round trip cost me twenty-five cents. I had a good time frolicking, dancing, and seeing everything; that was worth the trouble. Felix Barrera, of San Antonio, who was known to me, was working in the mine, but I did not see him, although I became acquainted with his brother who lived in the town.

"We loaded our pack-mules with eight bars of silver bullion valued at eight thousand dollars, and returned safely to San Luis Potosi with our valuable cargo, but I do not know what disposition was made of it, although I am confident that it was left there. Before our departure the Mexican ambulance driver was discharged on account of drunkenness, and his duties were assigned to me. I know all about driving oxen and a pair of horses, and I assumed the task without hesitation. Though it was my first attempt at driving four-in-hand, I succeeded admirably and my employers complimented my skill when we arrived at Pedras Negras, about the latter part of February, 1863, after an absence of twenty-five days.

"I next offered services to Messrs. Reinhold Becker and George Enderle, merchants of Pedras Negras, who were preparing to visit Monterey for replenishing their stock of goods. My recent experience was a sufficient recommendation and they employed me to drive their ambulance.

"My experience in handling

Funeral Services For

B. L. Robinson

B. L. Robinson, 86, passed away at his home Tuesday, Sept. 3, 1957. He is survived by his wife, Jane, two daughters, Mrs. Henry Vogel and Mrs. Casper Rohrbach, three granddaughters and one great-granddaughter.

Services were held in St. John's church with high Mass of Requiem, Rev. Harold Ehlinger officiating. Interment was in St. John's cemetery.

Palbearers were: Herman Vogel, Robert Koch, Walter Bendele, George Koch, Alfred Rohrbach and Louis Pichot.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE

BY JERRY JUNE BERGER

Our Anvil Herald neighbor to the south, SAM LANHAM, came over last Thursday borrowing, he was having a meeting of several people in his office and figured he would need about one more chair. "After all," said Sam, "one of the people at the meeting will be JO WOOD and I would hate to have a lady have to stand." Always the gentleman, that Sam.

His son and daughter-in-law, LT. and MRS. MIKE LANHAM, who have been here at Hondo Air Base during the summer, have moved to Cheyenne, Wyo. where MIKE has a new type assignment — attending ground equipment school.

PA

Another "local" who has moved recently is TOMMY NEY. With Hondo Lumber Company since college days, he has now changed his field and is an industrial engineer at the new Fastliff plant going up in Galveston. That company bought out the old Southern Select Brewery some time back but they are completely rejuvenating the place.

CHARLES NEY, Tommy's younger brother is also in Galveston. He is entering his second year at the University of Texas Medical School and the boys see each other almost every evening. CHARLES was home for a brief visit over the weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. ED NEY. Here for his first visit to Hondo Saturday was another Ney descendant, MICHAEL LOUIS BEGEMAN, six-weeks old son of Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT BEGEMAN of San Antonio. His mother was the former PATRICIA NEY.

PA

And speaking of descendants, Hondoans will want to take a careful look at the little mascot prancing with the Uvalde pep squad when they come over for the annual football battle. She is VICKI JEANE BUTLER, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. MARVIN BUTLER of Uvalde and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. TOBY TAYLOR of Hondo. Vicki's mother, the former MARJORIE TAYLOR was drum major when she was in Hondo High.

The Taylors, incidentally, observed their 33rd wedding anniversary over the weekend and took advantage of the occasion to go to Del Rio and visit Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS TAYLOR Friday and Saturday. They also crossed over into Mexico for a brief look around.

PA

LT. and MRS. CARL GORDON have recently arrived in France where they will be stationed approximately three years with the Air Force. They went over by ship, landing in Germany and then overland to their new station. MRS. GORDON is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. HENRY SCHULTE.

PA

Folks accused us of erring in the weight of a baby born last week and listed in the hospital news, but 2 pounds, 11 ounces was correct. The infant, IRMA ALCOZER, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. ALCOZER, was born Sept. 5, and as of Monday, Sept. 16, had not gained any weight but was reported holding her own.

She is in the incubator at Medina Hospital—the smallest baby we've seen—but nurses said her breathing was okay and that she did not need extra oxygen which many premature babies require.

REMEMBER WHEN

10 YEARS AGO

One of the biggest house-moving jobs yet to be seen in Hondo was completed last week when the American House Moving Co. of Corpus Christi moved one of the large Army Chapels from the Hondo Airfield onto property at the corner of 16th street and Ave. R where the Chapel became Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church. The building was cut into two sections for the task but all seats were left in their proper positions and none shifted so much as an inch during the move. It took only about two days actual work for the job.

NATALIA — Foundation has been poured and work will begin immediately on filling for pouring the concrete sub-floor of the Gymnasium-Auditorium at the Natalia High School.
DEVINE — Lion Jack Tilley, Deputy Governor of this district of Lions International, attended a cabinet meeting of Lion officers at the Menger Hotel Sunday to plan the fall Lion program.

20 YEARS AGO

The committee from Hondo which joined other delegations from various interested points in appearing before the State Highway Commission at Austin last Monday in behalf of Highway No. 173, Hondo to Jourdanton, via Devine, returned very much pleased with the courteous hearing they received and encouraged over the progress made towards securing the desired highway.

CASTROVILLE — A deal is being closed at Castroville this week whereby Harry Hans and Jul Jagge will acquire the Wernette Garlen property from heirs of the late John B. Wernette.
The Dinner Club of the Hondo Chamber of Commerce will honor the faculty of the Hondo Fair Grounds Auditorium next Tuesday night September 28. Messrs W. H. Case, Frank A. Vance and Henry Z. Windrow have charge of the general arrangements.

30 YEARS AGO

The Colonial Theatre was featuring — Rudolph Valentino fierce in his pates, fiery in his love! He kisses! He flames! He loves! in "The Son of the Sheik" Thursday and Friday.
Eight car loads of Angora goats received in one week would indicate that our people are at last awakening to the value of these golden-hoofed money makers at a successful scheme of mixed farming. Eight cars were received here during the past week, four cars going to Mr. Crain, two to Fischberg and two to Jack Fusselman.

Medina Oil Company's No. 1 Taylor in Medina County which is to be a deep test is down about 1,230 feet. Witherspoon's Faesler at the southwest end of the Adams gas field is down 150 feet. The Taylor No. 1 is the discovery well of the field south of Hondo that produced so phenomenally at 356 feet.

40 YEARS AGO

Undeterred by the rain, a large concourse of our people were at the depot Wednesday morning to bid adieu to thirty-seven of our boys who had been called to enter the training camps for drill and other instruction that will fashion them into first class fighting material in the greatest army that was ever organized on this hemisphere. Following are the names of those who left Wednesday morning: Oscar E. Wurzbach, C. J. Peters, Elmer P. Jungman, Frank G. Saathoff, Frir Eli Burgin, Henry Brown, Louis Franger, Henry D. Langfield, Edward H. Weyand, Alfred J. Schmidt, James Gibson, Oscar B. Taylor, John E. Beizung, Emil Muennink, Albert Griffin, Rudolph A. Haby, Archie Schuchart, Joseph F. Haegelein, Walter Scheile, Guido F. Richter, Henry Biry, Wm. D. Schott, Robert B. Breiten, Philip L. Karrer, Alex G. Wendland, Mimke F. Wiemers, Guenther H. Rothe, Julius J. Haby, Arnold G. Hass, J. W. Thompson, Emil Nehr, Emil J. Fohn, Ernest Wm. Brucks, Denman Harris, George Britsch, John G. Faeiler, Louis H. Pichot.

50 YEARS AGO

H. E. Bennett, formerly of this place but now of Huntington Beach, California, who with his wife and two children, is visiting relatives here, is interested in a wave-motor company at that place. The plan is to set pumps out in the sea and so arrange them that the never ceasing motion of the waves will pump water from the sea into a reservoir on the shore. This water when released, in its flow back to the sea, will turn a turbine wheel which will in turn operate electric dynamo and all sorts of motive power will thus be produced. If the scheme is successful old Ocean's ceaseless roll will be harnessed to the wheels of industry, and many facturing will be revolutionized.
DUNLAY — Joe Steine, one of the Dunlay Heart Smashers, made his regular "Future" business trip to Castroborg Saturday.
D'HANIS — A heavy pump outfit, consisting of an 8 horsepower Atlas gasoline engine and large size Myer's pump head, was unloaded at this depot and hauled up to the F. Rothe ranch where it now pumps water for cows from a 100 foot well.

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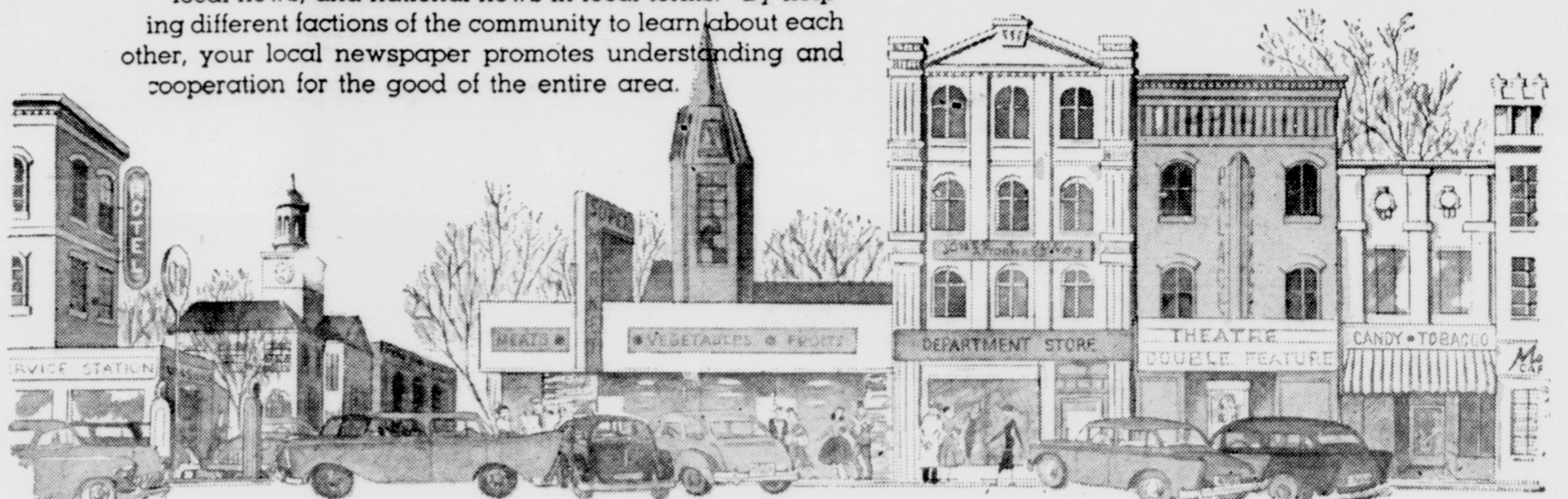
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By Georg Gaston
It was a powerful Del Rio "11" that overwhelmed an undermanned but bristling Owl lineup, 40-13, Friday night. Working with the efficiency and momentum that earned them the nod as the pre-season choice of District 14 AAA in addition to a high rating in the state 3-A championship race, the Wildcats from almost south of the border won going away after scoring late in the first quarter. Only the traditional fight of the home heroes kept the game from a complete rout.

The Hondo "11" had the dubious honor of proving that ball-control does not always win ball games. The Owl attack, in possession and threatening to score most of the night, invariably fell short of that one big play; only a last ditch

rally in the waning minutes deprived Del Rio of a shut-out. In contrast, the Wildcat offense, led by the running and passing of QB Denson Moody and utilizing a combination of long runs and passes in addition to timely interceptions, had phenomenal success with the home run to gain victory.

The Owls lost a golden opportunity to go ahead early in the ball game, but, after being stopped on downs on the 10 following a long opening drive, recovering a fumble on the next play only to be held once more, had to settle for just a lot of wasted yardage and a scoreless game until a swift HB by the name of Chris Nunez opened up the Del Rio TD gates. His brilliant broken field run of 71 yards to the Owl 5 from where he went over on the next play proved

to be the spark that the Wildcats had been looking for and a flood of enemy markers quickly followed. Two more TD's later and the period ended along with the element of suspense as to the final outcome.

The following Wildcat scoring plays came on a 51 yard pass play from QB Moody to End R. J. Patterson, Linebacker David Smith's interception and a 11 yard run-back, Moody's 71 yard punt return and a 11 yard option play by him. A 39 yard pass-play from second string QB Joe Uregas to Nunez closed out the Del Rio scoring.

The Owls, blanked in the scoring column until one-and-a-half minutes to play, scored after a 71

yard sustained drive climaxed by Co-Capt. Billy Potsavich's smash from 2 yards out. HB Sidney Mercer went over with the Owls' first '57 PAT. With the game almost history, QB Johnny Meyer intercepted a stray Wildcat pass and sprinted 63 yards for the final Owl 6-pointer.

However the Owl ball club came out of the losing game in surprisingly good spirits and new

confidence with an eye toward this week's opponent, Kennedy

THIS WEEK —KENEDY

An average Kennedy Club, with a 1-1 ledger this year, comes to town Friday night to be the next Owl opponent. Last week they ground out a 20-6 victory over a small Yorktown team and could prove to be the Owl's first '57 victim. A boy to watch in the visitor's backfield will be Richard

Rice. In last week's action he ran for two TD's. Also scoring for the Lions was Charles Broadnax.

Score By Quarters
Del Rio 21 6 6 7—40
Hondo 0 0 0 13—13

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Friday, Sept. 20, 1957

Comets Score 20-6 Win Over Natalia

By Gerald W. Kempf
CASTROVILLE, SEPT. 12 — The St. Louis Comets of Castroville, paced by Tailback Royce Groff and Fullback Bobby Tschirhart, turned on the gas in the second half to roll to a 20-6 victory over the Natalia Mustangs in the opening game of the season for the Comets.

The Mustangs opened the scoring for the night when Left Halfback Allen Lee plunged 2 yards for a score two plays deep in the second quarter. The touchdown climaxed a 45 yard drive and was set up by a fine 18 yard pass play from Quarterback Jimmy Putnam to Right End Edward Johnson. Right Halfback Bill Kirby failed on the plunge try for the extra point and at the end of the first half Natalia led 6-0.

Coach Harold Keller's Comets came back strong in the second half. Fullback Bobby Tschirhart returned the opening second half kick-off to the Natalia 45 yard line and from there it was Tschirhart and Groff all the way. After they moved the ball to the Natalia eleven yard line, Groff terminated the drive by blasting over from that point. Arthur Espino failed in the conversion try and the score was knotted 6-6.

Minutes later, after a Natalia punt, the Comets started to roll again. Groff again ended a 50 yard drive when he circled right end for the score from one yard out. Espino's kick for the extra

point was good and the Comets a 13-6 lead.

The final score came with approximately five minutes left to play in the game. Quarterback Carl Mangold, Tschirhart, and Groff moved the ball to the Natalia ten yard line on fine running plays. From that point it was Tschirhart who used his power to good advantage. On third down try he ripped across for the touchdown from 2 yards out. Espino's extra point kick once again split the up-rights and the Comets had won their opener 20-6.

The Comets got only 58 yds rushing and three first downs while Natalia got 72 yards rushing, eighteen yards passing, and five first downs. But the St. Louis Picture became a little brighter in the second half. They added 146 yards rushing, 11 yards passing and 8 first downs while holding Natalia to a scant 3 yards rushing, 19 yards passing and one first down.

The Comet backs ran hard and well in the second half but they need brushing up on pass defense. The blocking of the Comet line improved slightly as the game progressed but still left a lot of for improvement.

We believe Coach Keller of the Comets will have some pretty stiff work-outs this week in preparation for next week's game. St. Louis will host the Comfort High eleven at Castro Field, Saturday night, September 21, game time 8:00 p.m. The Comets will be trying to avenge a 20-0 defeat at the hands of Comfort in last year's contest.

Score by Quarters

Natalia	0	6	0	0	6
St. Louis	0	0	13	7	20

Scoring: Natalia, touchdown, Allen Lee.
St. Louis, touchdowns, Groff 2, Tschirhart 1.
P. A. T's—Espino 2

Final Statistics

Natalia	St. Louis
6 First down	11
75 Rushing Yardage	204
37 Passing Yardage	11
8 Passes Attempted	6
3 Passes Completed	1
1 Passes Intercepted	1
1 Fumbles Lost	1
3 Punts	1
25 yds. Punting Avg.	26 yds.
1 for 15 Penalty Yardage	2 for 10

Golf Contest

Winners Revealed

The Hondo Womens Golf Association has been sponsoring an Improvement Contest and winners for this event were Marge Bali and Mary Carr on Sept. 5. The following Thursday, Aleece Clapham and Margaret Allen won a Putting Contest.

In a match-play tournament, which has been going on for several weeks, Clar Richter defeated Yvonne Nations for winner of the finals. In the consolation flight, Betty Glenn defeated Mary Carr in the finals.

Other Scores

Uvalde 35, Northside 0
Eagle Pass 21, Crystal City 6
Pearsall 20, Devine 14
La Pryor 14, Leakey 12
Carrizo Springs 13, San Felipe 0

GAMES THIS WEEK

Friday, Sept. 20, at 8 p. m.
Crystal City at Uvalde
Poteet at Carrizo Springs
Del Rio at Pearsall
Devine at Hebbronville

Before, After Broadcasts To Tell Conferences Story

Southwest Conference football will fill the air this Saturday as Humble Oil & Refining Company brings listeners in Texas and New Mexico the first of the season's broadcasts. Seven intersectional games are on the program.

Texas A&M meets Maryland in the Cotton Bowl in Dallas and Kern Tips and Alec Chesser will describe the football action and colorful highlights. Broadcast time is 2:45p.m. over WOAI, San Antonio-1200.

At Baylor Stadium in Waco, the Baylor Bears tangle with Villanova in the opening game for both teams. Eddie Hill will describe the play-by-play action and Dave Smith the color highlights. Radio time is 7:45 p.m. over KM AC, San Antonio-630.

The Rice Owls open against the Tigers of LSU in a game to be broadcast from Baton Rouge. Dave Russell and John Smith will broadcast this one beginning at 7:45 p.m. over WOAI, San Antonio-1200.

SMU travels to Berkeley, California to meet the California Bears and Eddie Barker and Jim Wiggins will go along to broadcast the game for Texas fans, beginning at 2:45 p.m. over KENS, San Antonio-680.

TCU entertains Kansas at Amon Carter Stadium in Fort Worth in a game that Bob Walker and Mike Mistovich will describe starting at 7:45 p.m. over KONO, San Antonio-830.

The Longhorns of Texas University travel to Atlanta, Georgia to meet the Georgia Bulldogs. Veteran announcer Ves Box will be on hand along with Stan McKenzie to bring the game to listeners. Radio time is 6:45 p.m. over KENS, San Antonio-680.

FOOTBALL REVIEW

Highlight action from four Southwest Conference openers will be featured on Humble's "Football Review" next week. Kern Tips will add his colorful de-



Find a dove hunter and you can quickly organize a debate about open seasons.

For example, take the fellow who goes dove hunting the first part of the season. He gets birds, all report. But a lot of them are small and still have their pinfeathers. That man may say they opened the season too early.

Then you take the fellow who goes out late in the season. The birds are scarce because cooler weather has caused them to move south. This hunter says they opened the season too late.

There's no solution in going out the middle part of the season. Everything depends on the weather and when the birds hatch. These are factors over which the game regulation people have no control.

I have been talking over this situation with some of the game management folks, and they are looking for the answers. They will tell you that the doves are increasing in number, unlike most other game birds and animals. That's because the dove is an adaptable creature. Take away his natural habitat, remove his watering place, and he'll come nest in your front yard.

Another thing about doves. They may be inclined to nest mainly in the spring, but this home-making and young-raising is likely to go on through the summer and on into the fall, sometimes all year long. So the hunter will get some small birds, no matter what the season.

The government biologists are studying all these angles, and based on what they find, there may be changes in dove hunting regulations. Perhaps the season will be lengthened, or the bag limit increased, or both.

As it is now, the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service sets the length of season. That's because the dove is a migratory bird, and the regulation officials want to give the hunters of all states an equal chance for birds. As far as the seasons dates are concerned, the federalists leave that pretty much up to the states.

Add it all up and what you get is the happy fact that doves thrive in spite of drought and high water, and that the outlook for dove hunters is likely to keep getting better and better.

NEW ROD MATERIAL

Strange and wonderful things turn up as the scientists of this day and age pursue knowledge. A good example is the new fishing rod material developed by the genius-type workers on guided missiles.

The stuff is called Missillite, which Conolon now is using to make rods that are reputed to be stronger than glass. The new material is a combination of fiberglass and resin.

Another innovation by Conolon is the guide that is anchored to the rod at one side only. The advantage is in greater flexibility of the rod.

"SPLAT" FISHING

One of the outdoors magazines recently published a yarn about "splat" fishing, which is much the same thing we know as skitter fishing. East Texans in particular have been familiar with it for years.

Anyway, these "splat" fishermen used a stout cane pole and a shortish, heavy line. Fishing from a boat at night, in very shallow water right along the bank, they used a longshank hook baited with pork rind. One of their tricks was to run a rubber band from the eye of the hook to the barb, making it practically weedless.

They dropped the bait out on shore, then pulled it in so that it plopped into the inches-deep water. When the bass took it they horsed him right in, taking no chance on losing him in the brush.

The system, with many variations, works -- as many old-timers in Texas and elsewhere know very well. It is a form of what you call "meat" fishing, as opposed to "sport" fishing.

Sometimes sport fishing pays off, sometimes it doesn't. When it fails, a man will be tempted to go after fish by whatever means.

The other afternoon, I wished for one of those skittering rigs. The weather was warm, so I figured the bass might be congregated where a spring-fed stream empties cool water into the river.

No fish responded, but I saw a big bass splash twice by an old stump not 20 feet from where I was fishing from the bank. I dropped a topwater lure on the spot, and the bass took it immediately -- took it under the stump where my four-pound spinning line was't anything like enough to pull him out.

If I'd been skittering, of course, it would have been a different story. Or maybe if I had been in a boat, casting into the bank with a bait-casting outfit, it would have been all right.

TACKLE ARGUMENT

Talk about debates, you can get into one plenty fast when you bring up fishing tackle.

There's the purist who wouldn't look at anything but a fly rod, and who wouldn't think of using anything but a dry fly. He fishes for trout and nothing else.

Then, there's the fly rod man who will not only use his rig to cast wet as well as dry flies, but will go so far as to fish for types other than trout and who, upon occasion, might slip a worm on his hook if nobody is looking.

In our part of the country we favor the casting outfit because the heavier lines help us get our bass out of the lily pads and brush.

Aristocrats of the casting school would never use anything but a topwater lure. Down the scale you find those degraded people who use deep runners, spinners and spoons. Then, there's the fellow who will bait his hook with minnows, worms, crawfish, shrimp, or anything else the fish will bite.

There are several categories of spin fishermen.

At the bottom of the heap are the cane pole and trotline fishermen. They catch the most fish. I am not going to talk about the bait they use. Least of all am I going to talk about catfish bait.

Who's kidding whom? If somebody tells me I can catch a 15-pound blue cat by using a dog's tail for bait, Poopsie had better get under the house.

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Oleo . . . lb. 21c
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